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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

BEVERLY J. BAKER

Plaintiff(s),

v.

BANK OF THE WEST

Defendant(s),

CASE NUMBER

2:18-cv-10071

APPLICATION OF NON-RESIDENT ATTORNEY
TO APPEAR IN A SPECIFIC CASE
PRO HAC VICE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

- (1) The attorney seeking to appear pro hac vice must complete Section I of this Application, personally sign, in ink, the certification in Section II, and have the designated Local Counsel sign in Section III. **ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES ARE NOT ACCEPTED.** Space to supplement responses is provided in Section IV. The applicant must also attach a Certificate of Good Standing (issued within the last 30 days) from every state bar to which he or she is admitted; failure to do so will be grounds for denying the Application. Scan the completed Application with its original ink signature, together with any attachment(s), to a single Portable Document Format (PDF) file.
- (2) Have the designated Local Counsel file the Application electronically using the Court's CM/ECF System ("Motions and Related Filings => Applications/Ex Parte Applications/Motions/Petitions/Requests => Appear Pro Hac Vice (G-64)"), attach a Proposed Order (using Form G-64 ORDER, available from the Court's website), and pay the required \$400 fee online at the time of filing (using a credit card). The fee is required for each case in which the applicant files an Application. Failure to pay the fee at the time of filing will be grounds for denying the Application. **Out-of-state federal government attorneys are not required to pay the \$400 fee.** (Certain attorneys for the United States are also exempt from the requirement of applying for pro hac vice status. See L.R. 83-2.1.4.) A copy of the G-64 ORDER in Word or WordPerfect format must be emailed to the generic chambers email address. L.R. 5-4.4.2.

SECTION I - INFORMATION

Volheim, Nathan C.

Applicant's Name (Last Name, First Name & Middle Initial)

check here if federal government attorney ☐

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I have been retained to represent the following parties:

Beverly Baker

☒ Plaintiff(s) ☐ Defendant(s) ☐ Other: _____☐ Plaintiff(s) ☐ Defendant(s) ☐ Other: _____

Name(s) of Party(ies) Represented

List all state and federal courts (including appellate courts) to which the applicant has been admitted, and provide the current status of his or her membership. Use Section IV if more room is needed, or to provide additional information.

Name of Court	Date of Admission	Active Member in Good Standing? (if not, please explain)
See Attached		

List all cases in which the applicant has applied to this Court for *pro hac vice* status in the previous three years (continue in Section IV if needed):

<u>Case Number</u>	<u>Title of Action</u>	<u>Date of Application</u>	<u>Granted / Denied?</u>
5:18-cv-02508	Heersema, William v. Continental Credit Control	12/4/2018	Pending
8:18-cv-02127-KES	Travis Lewis v. Credico, Inc.	12/4/2018	Granted
2:18-cv-08388	Alejandra Vargo v. Progressive Management System	10/2/2018	Granted

If any *pro hac vice* applications submitted within the past three (3) years have been denied by the Court, please explain:

Has the applicant previously registered as a CM/ECF user in the Central District of California? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, was the applicant's CM/ECF User account associated with the e-mail address provided above? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Attorneys must be registered for the Court's Case Management/Electronic Case Filing ("CM/ECF") System to be admitted to practice pro hac vice in this Court. Submission of this Application will constitute your registration (or re-registration) as a CM/ECF User. If the Court signs an Order granting your Application, you will either be issued a new CM/ECF login and password, or the existing account you identified above will be associated with your case. Pursuant to Local Rule 5-3.2.3, registering as a CM/ECF User is deemed consent, for purposes of Fed. R. Civ. P. 5(b)(2)(E), to electronic service of documents through the CM/ECF System. You have the right to withhold or revoke your consent to electronic service at any time; simply complete and return a Central District Electronic Service Exemption Form (Form G-05, available from the Court's website). If the Court receives an Electronic Service Exemption Form from you, you will no longer receive notice by e-mail when Court orders or other documents are filed in cases in which you are counsel of record; instead, copies of such documents will be sent to you through the mail.

SECTION II - CERTIFICATION

I declare under penalty of perjury that:

- (1) All of the above information is true and correct.
- (2) I am not a resident of the State of California. I am not regularly employed in, or engaged in substantial business, professional, or other activities in the State of California.
- (3) I am not currently suspended from and have never been disbarred from practice in any court.
- (4) I am familiar with the Court's Local Civil and Criminal Rules, the Federal Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure, and the Federal Rules of Evidence.
- (5) I designate the attorney listed in Section III below, who is a member in good standing of the Bar of this Court and maintains an office in the Central District of California for the practice of law, as local counsel pursuant to Local Rule 83-2.1.3.4.

Dated 12/31/2018

Nathan C. Volheim

Applicant's Name (please type or print)


Applicant's Signature

SECTION III - DESIGNATION OF LOCAL COUNSEL

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I hereby consent to the foregoing designation as local counsel, and declare under penalty of perjury that I maintain an office in the Central District of California for the practice of law.

Dated 12/31/18

Nicholas M. Wajda

Designee's Name (please type or print)

Designee's Signature

SECTION IV - SUPPLEMENT ANSWERS HERE (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY)

Certificate of Admission To the Bar of Illinois

I, Carolyn Taft Grosboll, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois, do hereby certify that

Nathan Charles Volheim

has been duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law within this State; has duly taken the required oath to support the CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES and of the STATE OF ILLINOIS, and also the oath of office prescribed by law, that said name was entered upon the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors in my office on 05/06/2010 and is in good standing, so far as the records of this office disclose.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
subscribed my name and affixed the
seal of said Court, this 4th day of
December, 2018.



Carolyn Taft Grosboll

Clerk,
Supreme Court of the State of Illinois

Title of Court	Date of Admission	In Good Standing?
Northern District of Illinois	December 3, 2010	Yes
Central District of Illinois	December 4, 2015	Yes
Southern District of Illinois	October 3, 2016	Yes
Northern District of Indiana	July 29, 2015	Yes
Southern District of Indiana	July 31, 2015	Yes
Eastern District of Wisconsin	October 21, 2016	Yes
Western District of Wisconsin	October 4, 2016	Yes
Northern District of Texas	November 13, 2017	Yes
Southern District of Texas	August 3, 2017	Yes
Eastern District of Texas	June 6, 2017	Yes
Western District of Texas	December 15, 2017	Yes
District of Colorado	August 30, 2017	Yes
Northern District of Ohio	August 24, 2018	Yes
Western District of Michigan	March 13, 2018	Yes
Eastern District of Michigan	December 19, 2017	Yes
State Bar of Illinois	May 6, 2010	Yes